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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Mamoru NAKASUJI et al.**

Group Art Unit: **2881**

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METHOD OF MANUFACTURING DEVICES USING THE SYSTEM**

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

January 25, 2006


Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated August 25, 2005 for 2 months from November 25, 2005 to January 25, 2006.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$450.00 for the cost of the extension. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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